PAPERS IN CONNECTION WITH THE BUBONIC PLAGUE.

WEEKLY REPORT OF PLAGUE IN THE MYSORE STATE, EXCLUDING THE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION OF BANGALORE, FOR THE WEEK ENDING 28TH APRIL 1899.

I. The steady decline in the number of indigenous cases in the whole Province, during the past 5 weeks continuously, was, as is shown below, interrupted during the week under report. But with the exception of the Kolar district and Gold Fields, plague continued to decrease throughout the Province and the number of places in which indigenous cases occurred decreased by 4 :—

	Total No of cases.	Total No. of places.
For week ending 7th April 1899 ...	177	29
For week ending 14th April 1899 ...	108	24
For week ending 21st April 1899 ...	71	25
For week ending 28th April 1899 ...	106	21

Bangalore City.

II. The following are the figures in the City up to date :—

	Plague cases.	Plague deaths.	Total mortality.	Normal recorded mortality in the same period.
From 12th August 1898 to 31st March 1899 ...	3,335	2,655	7,237	867
Week ending 7th April 1899 ...	...	*1	41	35
Week ending 14th April 1899 ...	...	....	32	35
Week ending 21st April 1899 ...	...	...	55	35
Week ending 28th April 1899 ...	...	...	34	35

The City continued free and its total mortality decreased again to the normal figure.

During the week, the number of arrivals was 1,822 as against 1,828 in the previous week, the number of departures 1,202 as against 1,204, and the total population of the City at the close of the week was estimated at 62,739 as against 62,119 at the end of the previous week.

III. The figures for the Health and Segregation Camps were as follows :—

	Remaining.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Developed plague.	Remaining.
Health Camps ...	574	53	15	...	612
Segregation Camps ...	23	...	23	...	...

IV. During the week under report there were 267 first, and 1 second inoculations, bringing the totals to 34,390 and 1,385, respectively.

No inoculated person was attacked, during the week, with plague.

V. There were no patients in the Hospital.

VI. The number of houses disinfected was 189 as against 183 in the previous week; of these 149 were deserted ones, 12 plague-infected and 28 were locked-up ones opened under Government Notification No. 5235—P. G. 21-96, dated 15th October 1898.

VII. During the week under report, permission was given to re-occupy 95 houses. No charge was levied for disinfecting 25 houses, 1 house was disinfected by the owner himself and the charges realised from the remaining 69 amounted to Rs. 110.

VIII. The cost of road-work and earth-work in the Basavangudi and Malleswaram extensions, carried out during the week, amounted to Rs. 5,169 as against Rs. 1,796, bringing the total amount spent up to date to Rs. 63,599.

IX. The number of infected houses and houses unfit for human habitation demolished during the week was 4, the total number of houses demolished up to date being 505. The number of houses removed for opening out the City during the week was 18, the number of houses so removed from the commencement being 556.

X. During the week, 6 persons were put on their trial for violating the Epidemic Diseases Regulation against 10, during the previous week; all were convicted and fined in sums varying from 8 annas to 1 rupee.

XI. During the week, 596 in-coming passengers, or a daily average of 85·14 were disinfected with their effects at the City Railway Station.

Mysore State, outside Bangalore.

XII. The accompanying weekly return shows the state of the epidemic in the Province. During the week under report, Bangalore district was almost free, Tumkur district was entirely free, there was a decrease in the number of cases in Mysore district, but in Kolar district and in the Gold Fields there was a considerable increase.

XIII. In Bangalore district, excluding Bangalore City, the number of indigenous cases decreased from 7 to 1, and that one case occurred in a village in the Devanhalli taluk. With the exception of one imported case reported from a village in the Nelamangala taluk, about the genuineness of which, however, there is some doubt, the rest of the district was free.

XIV. In Kolar district excluding the Gold Fields, the number of indigenous cases increased from 4 to 16, of which 7 cases occurred in Kolar town and the rest in Bowringpet town and taluk.

* Imported.

Kolar Gold Fields.

XV. In the Gold Fields, the number of indigenous cases increased from 30 to 62. The following statement shows the number of cases and deaths in the several mines for the past 4 weeks :—

No.	Names of places.	During the week ending 7th April 1899				During the week ending 14th April 1899.				During the week ending 21st April 1899.				During the week ending 28th April 1899				Remarks.
		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.		
		Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases	Deaths.	
1	Champion Reefs	..	..	11	6	..	..	5	5	..	..	3	6	..	..	7	7	
2	Mysore Mines	..	..	11	7	..	..	10	8	..	..	2	4	1	..	14	12	
3	Ooregum Village	..	..	25	16	..	..	13	9	..	..	2	5	..	..	..	..	
4	Steven's Camp	..	..	4	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	7	
5	Ooregum Camp	..	..	7	3	..	..	2	4	..	..	7	5	..	..	1	..	
6	Balaghat	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	
7	Plague Hospital	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	
8	Krishnagiri Camp	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	
9	Coromandel Camp	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	1	
10	Peddapalli	..	..	4	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
11	Oriental Mine	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	
12	Balagonpalli Block	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	1	
13	Gold Fields	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	3	..	..	11	6	
14	Sorakepet	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
15	Marikuppam Village	..	..	1	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	3	
16	Nandidrug Camp	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
17	Gollapalli	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	
18	Dod Kambli	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
19	Ernagonpalli	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
20	Konamakanpalli	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	
21	Balagonpalli	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
22	Kallikothur	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	
23	Poojarpalli	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	
24	Kempankote	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	
25	Natchepalli	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	
26	Tank Block	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
27	Road Block	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
	Total . .	..	..	75	47	1	1	47	40	.	..	30	31	1	..	62	41	

From the above statement it will be seen that the increase occurred chiefly in three places, Ooregum village, Ooregum Mine, and Sorekaipet. Ooregum village has been almost completely evacuated, it is unlikely therefore that plague will continue bad there much longer. Sorekaipet, known also as Muskam block, is a village consisting of lines of huts for the accommodation of mining coolies, these have been evacuated and fresh lines erected on a new site, so here also plague may shortly be expected to abate. On the Ooregum Mine the work of relieving the more congested and crowded parts of the old lines by removing the inmates to new lines is being pushed on and when this is completed, the plague is likely to follow the same course as in the Mysore Mines and elsewhere and become confined to occasional sporadic cases.

A good feature, reported by the Special Plague Officer during the week, is the way in which, in spite of inclement weather and increase of plague, the mine coolies have stuck to their work which he considers an indication that they are becoming reconciled to plague measures and less inclined to run away.

The following statement shows the number of coolies working and the number of huts, demolished, erected, etc., in the mining properties during the week:—

Statement of Coolies working in the Mines of Kolar Gold Fields with information about their accommodation, &c., for the week ending 28th April 1899.

Name of Mine.	Average No. of coolies working daily in ordinary times.	Average during the past week (ending 21st April).	Average during the current week (ending 28th April 1899.)	No. of huts demolished as infected and insanitary, during the week.	No. of huts erected during the week.	No. of old huts removed to new sites from infected localities.	No. of tenements disinfected & made habitable.	No. of sanitary huts put up since the beginning of the outbreak.	No. of insanitary and infected huts demolished since the beginning of the outbreak.	No. of huts removed to new sites from infected localities since the outbreak.	No. of tenements made habitable since the beginning of the outbreak.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1. Mysore Mines ...	4,281	3,812	3,832	25	10	2	10	135	475	304	160	Surface and skill labour are reported to be scarce in all the Mines.
2. Champion Reefs ...	5,467	4,313	4,497	40	7	...	...	112	276	234	40	
3. Ooregum Mines ...	3,788	2,532	2,617	114	12	201	2	50	236	248	...	
4. Nundidrug ...	2,300	1,245	1,281	1	...	...	2	27	2	...	...	
5. Balaghat* ...	650	543	603	3	6	4	...	41	110	34	...	
6. Coromandel ...	956	347	360	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7. Gold Fields of Mysore.	233	197	211	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	
8. Nine Reefs ...	414	368	417	...	5	...	...	5	2	...	...	
9. Road Block ...	350	318	328	...	7	...	1	7	...	...	...	
10. Tank Block ...	560	413	431	4	...	...	...	94	54	31	...	
11. Oriental ...	147	138	138	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

*In addition to large numbers of thatty temporary shelters provided in each Mine.

The above statement shows that, out of 19,146 coolies working in ordinary times, there were during the present week 14,715 coolies or 489 more than those present during the previous week.

XVI. Tumkur district has now been entirely free for the past two weeks continuously.

XVII. In the Mysore district excluding Mysore City, the number of indigenous cases decreased from 4 to 2, both the cases being confined to a village in the Malvalli taluk. One imported case was reported from Kyatanahalli in the Heggaddevankote taluk, but no indigenous cases have, as yet, followed it.

Mysore City.

XVIII. In the Mysore City the figures were as follows:—

	Plague cases.	Plague deaths	Total mortality.	Normal recorded mortality during the same period
For the week ending 7th April 1899 ...	64	54	101	31
For the week ending 14th April 1899 ...	35	40	87	31
For the week ending 21st April 1899 ...	26	18	51	31
For the week ending 28th April 1899 ...	24	19	63	31

There was a slight decrease of two in the number of cases, but there was an increase of one in the number of deaths and 12 in the total mortality.

XIX. The total number of arrivals during the week was 1,611 as against 1,851, that of departures 927 as against 1,308 and the total population at the close of the week was 63,966 as against 63,332, showing a net increase of 634.

XX. The figures for the Segregation Camp were as follows :—

	Remaining.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining.
For the week	15	6	9	...	12
Since commencement	...	586	542	32	12

XXI. There was only one first and no second inoculation during the week, bringing the totals from commencement to 20,384 and 94, respectively. Two inoculated persons were attacked with plague during the week, the total number of such persons so attacked from the commencement being 158, of which 111 died and 47 recovered.

XXII. The Hospital figures were as follows :—

	Remaining.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	Remaining.
For the week ...	42	5	6	1	40
Since commencement ...	...	259	84	135	40

XXIII. 43 houses were disinfected in the Mysore City during the week as against 64 in the previous week, the total number of such houses disinfected from the commencement being 2,461.

XXIV. 455 persons, or a daily average of 65 were disinfected at the Mysore City Railway Station.

XXV. 6 houses were demolished during the week the total number of houses demolished from the commencement being 683.

Extract from the Dairy of the District Plague Officer, Kolar, for the week ending 28th April 1899.

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Sanitation :—Besides improved ventilation (putting in windows and skylights) of houses in Malur town, all old wall and buildings have been pulled down and levelled, pits filled in and 18 conservancy lanes opened out which will, it is hoped, materially improve the sanitation of the place. Conservancy lanes have also been opened out at the following villages in the taluk (Malur taluk).

Lakkur—4. Two of these in Komatipet, a very congested quarter of the village.

Masti—3.

Chiktirupati—4.

The villagers are beginning to realize the utility and benefit of these lanes, that they are now asking for them and point out to the local officers where they could be opened.

The Chintamani Amildar reports that of the 14 conservancy lanes marked out in Chintamani town, 10 have been opened out and that the towns-people are voluntarily contributing towards the cost of V-shaped drains for these lanes. This shows that people are becoming alive to the need of improved sanitation of their towns.

Extract from the Tumkur District Plague Officer's Diary for the week ending 28th April 1899.

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28th Friday * * * * *

Settihalli.—The village was disinfected and the inhabitants were busy cleaning and white-washing their houses. In this village besides the floors, the walls and ceilings were scraped out. We had insisted upon the scraping out of the floors, *but not of the walls and ceilings.* The houses were disinfected with perchloride of mercury and the villagers seem to have gone a step in advance of us in order not to leave any trace of poison in their houses.

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Comparative Statement showing the number of Infected Villages in each District during the weeks ending 28th and 21st April 1899.

Districts.	Infected Villages.	
	During the week ending 28th April 1899.	During the week ending 21st April 1899.
Bangalore	1	5
Kolar	18	17
Tumkur	...	...
Mysore	1	2
Hassan	...	...
Shimoga	...	...
Kadur	...	...
Chitaldrug	...	...
Total ...	20	24

Statement showing Plague Cases and Deaths (imported as well as indigenous) in the Mysore Province, reported in daily returns to the Plague Commissioner, from 12th August 1898 to week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.

Period.	1				2				3				4				5			
	Bangalore.				Mysore City.				Bangalore District.				Kolar District.				Tumkur District.			
	City.		Cantonment.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.	
	Cases.	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
During the week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.	...	...	1	1	...	...	24	19	1	...	1	1	2	1	78	52	...	...	...	...
During the week ending Friday, the 21st April 1899.	...	...	2	2	...	...	23	18	...	...	7	6	3	2	34	33	...	...	...	...
Total since the first appearance of Plague, *i. e.*, from 12th August 1898, up to 14th April 1899.	3,335	2,656	4,025	3,317	12	10	2,476	2,020	234	188	4,639	4,204	150	120	1,543	1,238	116	89	872	655
Total ...	3,335	2,656	4,028	3,320	12	10	2,526	2,057	235	188	4,647	4,211	155	123	1,655	1,323	116	89	872	655

Period	6				7				8				9				10				11	
	Mysore District.				Hassan District.				Shimoga District.				Kadur District.				Chitaldrug District.				Total.	
	Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		Indigenous.			
	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases.	Deaths.
During the week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	110	75
During the week ending Friday, the 21st April 1899.	1	1	4	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	69
Total since the first appearance of Plague, *i. e.*, from 12th August 1898, up to 14th April 1899.	40	31	435	333	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	...	...	7	4	...	...	17,892	14,871
Total ...	42	33	441	340	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	...	...	7	4	...	...	18,079	15,015

Statement showing weekly the Population of the Bangalore City, for the week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.

WARDS.	Number remaining at the close of the previous week, Inoculated.				Arrivals during the week ending 28th April 1899, Inoculated.				Births during the week.	Total Inoculated.				Number of departures during the week ending 28th April 1899, Inoculated.				Number of deaths during the week ending 28th April 1899, Inoculated.				Number remaining on the last day of the current week ending 28th April 1899, Inoculated.				Difference.		Net Increase.
	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.		Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total	Increase.	Decrease.	
Ward No. I ..	3,432	171	3,0 3	6,6 6	7	2	119	200	4	3,511	173	3,166	6,850	136	8	49	193	2	...	3	5	3,373	165	3,114	6,652	6	...	...
Central Jail ...	405	452	1	858	...	...	10	10	...	405	452	11	868	12	5	...	17	...	...	...	...	404	447	...	851	...	7	..
Lunatic Asylum ...	11	230	16	257	...	...	...	...	...	11	230	16	257	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	11	230	15	256	...	1	...
Railway premises	91	9	420	520	....	...	...	...	...	91	9	420	520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91	9	420	520	...	...	....
Imperial Service Regiment ...	1,189	2	828	2,019	6	...	10	16	...	1,195	2	838	2,035	17	...	2	19	*1	...	...	1	1,177	2	838	2,015	...	4	...
Ward No. II ...	8,349	326	14,665	23,340	371	2	369	742	11	8,720	328	15,045	24,093	237	9	196	442	3	...	8	11	8,480	319	14,841	23,640	300	...	...
Ward No. III ...	5,315	306	6,792	12,411	136	4	228	368	8	5,449	310	7,028	12,787	87	6	91	184	1	...	7	8	‡5,215	261	7,119	12,595	184	...	...
Ward No. IV ...	5,122	299	10,403	15,824	120	4	323	447	6	5,242	303	10,732	16,277	124	5	189	318	...	...	7	7	5,118	298	10,536	15,952	128	...	...
The Maternity, Government City Hospital, Eye Infirmary & St. Martha's Hospital.	103	21	120	244	15	1	23	39	6	118	22	149	289	10	...	18	28	...	...	3	3	108	22	128	258	14	...	...
Total ..	24,015	1,816	36,288	62,119	727	13	1,08	1,822	35	24,742	1,829	37,405	63,976	623	33	546	1,202	7	...	28	35	23,977	1,753	37,009	62,739	632	12	620

* Birth and deaths in the Imperial Service Regiment are not included in the Health Office returns as the Regiment is located outside the Municipal limits.

‡ The difference is due to the expiry of the six months period of inoculated persons who have, therefore, been treated as uninoculated or inoculated once. according as they were inoculated once or often.

Statement showing the Population of the Mysore City, for the week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.

WARDS.	Number remaining at the close of the previous week Inoculated.				Arrivals during the week ending 28th April 1899 Inoculated.				Births during the week.	Total Inoculated.				Number of departures during the week ending 28th April 1899 Inoculated.				Number of deaths during the week ending 28th April 1899 Inoculated.				No. remaining on the last day of the current week ending 28th April 1899 Inoculated.				Difference.		Net increase.
	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.		Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.	Once.	Often.	Not.	Total.	Increase.	Decrease.	
Ward No. I	7,306	229	17,567	25,102	233	8	458	699	6	7,539	237	18,031	25,807	122	7	103	232	1	...	23	24	7,416	230	17,905	25,551	449	...	...
Sheds within the Municipal limits.	522	52	489	1,063	...	...	8	8	1	522	52	498	1,072	33	...	8	41	..	...	...	...	489	52	490	1,031	...	32	...
Sheds beyond the Municipal limits.	157	7	709	873	...	...	...	...	...	157	7	709	873	25	...	78	103	...	...	1	1	132	7	630	769	...	104	
Total ...	7,985	288	18,765	27,083	233	8	466	707	7	8,218	296	19,238	27,752	180	7	189	376	1	...	24	25	8,037	289	19,025	27,351	313	...	...
Sub-Ward attached to No. 1 Ward, Late No. 3 Ward.	1,736	44	4,247	6,027	36	4	70	110	4	1,772	48	4,321	6,141	30	1	54	85	...	...	7	7	1,742	47	4,260	6,049	22	...	...
Sheds within the Municipal limits.	484	9	942	1,435	5	1	4	10	...	489	10	946	1,445	14	...	19	33	...	...	2	2	475	10	925	1,410	...	25	...
Sheds beyond the Municipal limits.	771	25	1,314	2,110	5	...	10	15	3	776	25	1,327	2,128	14	...	55	73	...	...	4	4	762	25	1,264	2,051	...	59	...
Total ...	2,991	78	6,503	9,572	46	5	84	135	7	3,037	83	6,594	9,714	58	1	132	191	...	...	13	13	2,979	82	6,449	9,510	...	62	...
Ward No. II	5,395	268	20,914	26,577	284	13	472	769	3	5,679	281	21,389	27,349	162	9	189	360	1	...	28	29	5,516	272	21,172	26,960	383	...	...
Sheds within the Municipal limits.	72	3	70	145	...	..	...	...	...	72	3	70	145	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	3	70	145	...	...	...
Sheds beyond the Municipal limits.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	5,467	271	20,934	26,722	284	13	472	769	3	5,751	284	21,459	27,494	162	9	189	360	1	...	28	29	5,588	275	21,242	27,105	383	...	...
Grand Total ..	16,443	637	46,252	63,332	564	26	1,022	1,611	17	17,006	663	47,291	64,960	400	17	510	927	2	...	65	67	16,604	646	46,716	63,966	696	62	634

Supplementary Statement showing in detail the places in the Mofussil where Plague Cases and Deaths were reported in daily returns to the Plague Commissioner during the week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.

Population in 1891.	Places.	During the week ending 28th April 1899.		During the week ending 21st April 1899.		Previously reported for period from 12th August 1898 to 14th April 1899.		Total.	
		Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
	BANGALORE DISTRICT.								
	Bangalore Taluk.								
	Talaghatpur ...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2	2
	Hoskote Taluk.								
	Solur ...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1
	Dodballapur Taluk.								
	Seekota ...	...	...	1	1	4	4	5	5
	Nelamangala Taluk.								
	Kambalu ...	...	...	1	..	1	1	2	1
	Hanumanthiyanpalya ...	*1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Devanhalli Taluk.								
	Vadigenhalli	1	1	3	3	30	30	34	34
	Other places	..	...	...		4,837	4,356	4,837	4,356
	Total ...	2	1	7	6	4,873	4,392	4,882	4,399
	KOLAR DISTRICT.								
	Bowringpet Taluk.								
	Bowringpet Town ..	6	4	‡5	2	32	26	43	32
	Bisanatham ...	...	...	*1	1	...	...	1	1
	Bethamangala ...	*1	1	...	...	†1	1	2	2
	Sulikunte ...	1	1	...	...	§1	1	2	2
	Bengannur ...	2	2	...	...	§2	2	4	4

* Imported

§ *Vide* statement for week ending 17th March 1899.
† Do do 17th February 1899,
‡ of which two cases and one death are imported.

Supplementary Statement of Plague Cases, [redacted] —*contd.*

Population in 1891.	Places.	During the week ending 28th April 1899.		During the week ending 21st April 1899.		Previously reported for period from 12th August 1898 to 14th April 1899.		Total.	
		Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths
	Kolar District—*concluded.*								
	Gold Fields.								
	Champion Reefs ...	7	7	3	6	55	36	65	49
	Mysore Mine ...	*1	...	2	4	81	58	84	62
	Ooregaum Village ...	14	12	2	5	86	62	102	79
	Balaghat ...	1	...	1	2	15	12	17	14
	Coromandel Camp ...	...	...	2	2	29	20	31	22
	Balagonpalli Block ...	1	1	1	1	17	13	19	15
	Nandidroog Camp ...	2	3	2	...	4	3	8	6
	Ooregaum Camp ...	17	7	7	5	18	13	42	25
	Plague Hospital ...	...	...	1	1	3	1	4	2
	Sorakaipet ...	11	6	3	3	7	5	21	14
	Baligonhalli Village ...	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	1
	Krishnagiri Camp ...	1	1	1	...	9	9	11	10
	Kalikothur ...	1	1	...	...	1	1	2	2
	Gold Fields ...	2	1	1	1	5	4	8	6
	Dodkambli ...	...	...	2	1	2	1	4	2
	Kempenkote ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
	Peddapalli ...	2	1	...	...	‡9	8	11	9
	Tank Block ...	1	...	...	...	†1	1	2	1
	Road Block ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
	Natchepalli ...	1	1	...	...	1	1	2	2
	Other places ..	...	...	...	..	143	110	143	110
	Total Bowringpet Taluk ..	73	49	36	34	523	389	632	472
	Kolar Taluk.								
	Kolar Town ...	7	4	1	1	42	23	50	28
	Other places ...	...	...	...	..	1,128	946	1,128	946
	Total .	7	4	1	1	1,170	969	1,178	974
	Total Kolar District ...	80	53	37	35	1,693	1,358	1,810	1,446
	Tumkur District ...	...	...	...	...	988	744	988	744
	MYSORE DISTRICT.								
	Mysore Taluk.								
	Hinkal ...	...	...	1	3	3	1	4	

* Imported.

‡ *Vide* Statement for week ending 14th April 1899.

† *Vide* Statement for week ending 24th March 1899.

Supplementary Statement of Plague Cases, &c.—*contd.*

Population in 1891.	Places.	During the week ending 28th April 1899.		During the week ending 21st April 1899.		Previously reported for period from 12th August 1898 to 14th April 1899.		Total.	
		Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
	Mysore District—*concluded.*								
	Seringapatam Taluk.								
	Seringapatam Town ...	...	...	3	4	46	33	49	37
	Heggaddevankote Taluk.								
	Kyatenhalli ...	*1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
	Mandya Taluk.								
	Yaliyur ...	...	...	*1	1	...	...	¶1	1
	Malvalli Taluk.								
	Belkvadi ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
	Other places ...	...	...	...	...	426	330	426	330
	Total ...	3	1	5	8	475	364	483	373
	HASSAN DISTRICT.	..	...	...	...	2	1	2	1
	SHIMOGA DISTRICT.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
	KADUR DISTRICT.	...	..	...	...	6	5	6	5
	CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.	...	...	...	...	7	4	7	4

* Imported.

¶Revised figures as per D. P. O's No. 68, dated 26th April 1899.

Statement showing the number of Houses Demolished and the Compensation paid in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

Period.	Bangalore City.			Mysore City.			Remarks.
	Number of houses demolished.	Houses for which compensation was paid.		Number of houses demolished.	Houses for which compensation was paid.		
		Number	Amount.		Number.	Amount.	
			Rs. a. p.			Rs. a. p.	
For the week ending 28th April 1899 ...	4	2	12 0 0	6	6	795 0 0	
For the week ending 21st April 1899.	11	...	...	30	30	1,698 3 1	
From commencement up to 14th April 1899 ...	490	44	2,047 12 0	647	647	69,605 0 4	
Total ...	505	46	2,059 12 0	683	683	71,498 3 5	

Statement showing the number of Houses Disinfected in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

Place.	Week ending 28th April 1899.	Week ending 21st April 1899.	Since commencement up to 14th April 1899.	Total.	Remarks.
Bangalore City ...	189	183	6,703	7,075	
Mysore City	43	64	2,354	2,461	

Statement showing the number of Persons Disinfected with their effects at the Bangalore and Mysore City Railway Stations.

Place.	For the week ending 28th April 1899.		For the week ending 21st April 1899.		Remarks.
	Total number of persons disinfected.	Daily average.	Total number of persons disinfected.	Daily average.	
Bangalore City	596	85·14	577	82·43	
Mysore City	455	65	438	62·57	

Weekly Return of Persons Inoculated in the Mysore State.

Name of place.	No. of 1st inoculations during the week ending 28th April 1899.	No. of 2nd inoculations during the week ending 28th April 1899.	Total.	Total of 1st inoculations up to 28th April 1899.	Total of 2nd inoculations up to 28th April 1899.	Grand Total.
Bangalore City ...	267	1	268	34,390	1,385	35,775
Mysore City ..	1	..	1	29,884	94	29,978
Bangalore District ...	598	148	746	10,377	152	10,529
Bowringpet Taluk, including Kolar Gold Fields...	370	1	371	7,816	18	7,834
Kolar District (except Bowringpet Taluk) ...	97	1	98	4,976	31	5,007
Tumkur District ..	7	...	7	3,381	...	3,381
Mysore do ...	...	...	...	1,788	5	1,793
Hassan do ..	...	...	...	325	...	325
Shimoga do ...	11	...	11	268	2	270
Kadur do ...	..	...	...	420	17	437
Chitaldrug do ...	...	...	...	64	...	64

Statement showing the number of Persons in the Health Camps, Bangalore City, for the week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.

Health Camps.	No. remaining on Friday, the 21st April 1899.	No. admitted during the week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.	No. of persons discharged during the week ending Friday, the 28th April 1899.	No. of persons segregated.	No. remaining on Friday, the 28th April 1899.
Pindarchari ...	...	...	...	...	...
Yedur, Mysore Road and Guttahalli.	474	52	15	...	511
Lal-Bagh Road, ...	...	...	...	...	...
Makan ...	..	...	...	...	...
Upparhalli ...	100	1	...	...	101
Magadi Road ..	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	574	53	15	...	612

Statement showing Plague Cases and Deaths (imported as well as indigenous) in the Bombay Presidency reported in daily returns to Government from September 1896 to week ending 28th April 1899.

Places.	Reported in daily returns during the week ending 28th April 1899.		Reported in daily returns during the week ending 21st April 1899.		Previously reported and shown in the General Statement for period from September 1896 to 14th April 1899.		Total.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Bombay City ...	493	349	622	513	46,997	40,788	48,112	41,650
Karachi City ...	276	207	361	281	9,116	7,083	9,753	7,571
Poona City, including Suburb and Cantonment.	72	58	96	84	10,118	7,545	10,286	7,687
Dharwar District ...	26	25	24	16	38,292	31,086	38,342	31,127
Kanara District ...	...	...	1	...	215	155	216	155

Statement showing Plague Seizures and Deaths (imported as well as indigenous) in the Municipalities and Districts of the Madras Presidency during the week ending 22nd April 1899.

Municipalities	Up to the end of the preceding week.					During the week.					
	Imported.		Indigenous.		Total actual mortality from all causes.	Imported.		Indigenous.		Total actual mortality from all causes.	Total average mortality from all causes since the outbreak of plague.
	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.		Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures	Deaths.		
Adoni ...	4	3	...	...	199	...	...	...	...	10	13
Anantapur ..	1	1	...	...	83	...	...	...	...	2	3
Calicut ...	1	...	...	...	920	...	..	...	...	*	35
Chingleput ...	1	1	...	...	111	...	...	...	...	8	6
Conjeeveram ...	3	2	...	...	408	...	...	...	...	25	23
Karur ...	1	...	...	...	162	...	...	...	...	3	8
Kurnool ...	1	1	...	...	264	...	...	...	...	9	14
Madras ...	15	9	...	...	8,591	1	1	...	..	274	358
Nellore ...	2	2	...	...	71	...	...	...	...	12	14
Ootacamund ...	1	1	...	...	96	..	...	...	...	7	7
Salem ...	3	3	...	...	1,276	...	...	...	...	43	53
Srirangam ...	1	1	...	..	89	...	...		...	8	13
Tirupati ...	1	1	3	3	149	...	..	...	...	4	11
Tirupattur ...	6	5	...	...	314	...	...	...	...	18	13
Trichinopoly ...	5	3	..	...	1,593	...	..	...	...	36	57
Vaniyambadi ...	8	5	1	1	707	...	...	...	..	15	25
Vellore ...	6	5	170	156	970	...	..	4	4	13	37
Walajapet ...	8	7	56	39	315	...	...	...	1	6	11

* Return not received.

Districts. (Exclusive of Municipal Towns.)	Up to the end of the preceding week.				During t			
	Imported.		Indigenous.		Imported.		In	
	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	D
Anantapur ...	61	45	622	502	...	...	1	1
Bellary ...	21	19	280	239	...	...	...	...
Chingleput ...	9	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coimbatore ...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah ...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kurnool ..	4	4	168	137	...	...	...	...
Madura ..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar ...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nilgiri ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North Arcot ..	105	89	387	298	1	1	9	5
Salem ...	115	73	461	354	2	2	...	2
South Canara ...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...

Telegram No. 1507, dated Simla, the 24th April 1899.

From His Excellency the Viceroy, to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

Following Plague seizures and deaths reported from places outside Bombay Presidency since 17th April 1899 :—

Madras Presidency Districts—

Anantapur—1 fatal case. Bellary—1 death.
North Arcot—16 seizures, 10 deaths.
Salem—4 seizures, 6 deaths.
Madras City—1 imported & suspected seizure.

Bengal—

Calcutta—158 seizures, 150 deaths, including some suspected.
Howrah district—14 seizures, 10 deaths.
Hooghly district—1 fatal case.
24 Parganas district—6 seizures, 3 deaths.
Saran district—3 seizures, 5 deaths.
Darbhanga district—1 death.
Balasore district—5 seizures, 4 deaths, of which one only local.

Punjab—

Jullundur district—48 seizures, 34 deaths.

Hoshiarpur district—7 seizures, 7 deaths.

Mysore State—

Bangalore Civil and Military Station—2 fatal cases.
Mysore City—26 seizures, 18 deaths.
Mysore district—1 fatal case.
Kolar Gold Fields—20 seizures, 25 deaths.

Hyderabad State—

Lingsagur district—16 seizures, 7 deaths.
Naldrug district—4 seizures, 3 deaths.
Wadi Railway Station—1 imported seizure.
Baluchistan, South-East Frontier—1 seizure.
Case reported in telegram of 20 th March last not plague.
No plague reported elsewhere.

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